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"SKIDODLER" RAN HIM DOWN.

Samuel S. Grinnam Charged With Exceeding Speed Limit.

Samuel S. Grinnam, president of the Park Automobile Company, of No. 433 Olive street, riding in an automobile it is alleged, at a rate of forty miles an hour, was pursued for eight blocks by the police, and was charged with exceeding the speed limit.

Merchants and

manufacturers desiring to test the possibilities of the Mail Order Business will find an excellent result-producing medium in Farm Progress, the big agricultural monthly published by The St. Louis Republic, with a circulation now exceeding 180,000, and growing at the phenomenal rate of more than ten thousand a month.

Farm Progress is essentially a paper for the farmer and his household, and offers to advertisers an exceptional opportunity to reach the mail-order buyers of the agricultural sections at a smaller expenditure than is possible in any other publication of the kind in the country.

Farm Progress was started by The Republic in April, 1904. Its growth has been phenomenal. Since March 1, 1905, its circulation has more than doubled, and during the entire year just closed its monthly circulation gain has never fallen short of ten thousand.

The Twice-a-Week Republic, the oldest semi-weekly newspaper in the West, with a circulation exceeding 200,000 a week—more than 100,000 each issue—also offers advertisers a splendid opportunity to reach the country buyer. The clientele of the Twice-a-Week Republic, distributed in the rich agricultural districts of the Southwest, supply their needs through mail-order buying and purchase the manufactured articles whose merits are constantly advertised in the publications that enter their homes.

Improved Postal Service, the growth of rural free delivery routes, better freight and express facilities and modern methods of merchandising are reasons for the enormous growth of the mail-order business.

The mails and the railroads have wiped out "territories"; merchants and manufacturers sell to everybody everywhere on even terms. Merit, price and properly attracting the attention of the buyer are the factors that make success.

Farm Progress and Twice-a-Week Republic are the right mediums. Have you the goods at the right prices?

ROUVIER'S MINISTRY MEETS WITH CHECK

Minister of War Bortaux Resigns After Spirited Debate, and Future of the Ministry Remains in Doubt.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The Rouvier Ministry met its first check today when M. Bortaux, Minister of War, abruptly withdrew from the ministerial branches during an angry debate in the Chamber of Deputies, and thereafter announced his resignation.

For a time the entire Cabinet hung in the balance, and Premier Rouvier announced the readiness of himself and his colleagues to give up power unless they were supported by a substantial majority.

After a debate of exceptional violence, a motion favorable to the Ministry prevailed by a vote of 151 to 147. However, the ministerial majority is made up of fractions of divergent groups, and the future of the Cabinet remains in doubt.

M. Etienne, now Minister of the Interior, is mentioned as the most probable successor to M. Bortaux. M. Etienne, Minister of Marine, succeeding M. Etienne, is mentioned as the most probable successor to M. Bortaux.

M. Etienne, in an interview this evening, said his resignation was not intended to embarrass the Ministry, but that he was unable to tolerate the humiliating position of the Ministry in being dependent upon the opposition groups.

Open To-Night Till 10 O'clock. You can get a Diamond from us on Credit. Terms easy. Quality first. 24-hour service. 6th and Olive sts.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY NOTES. Ed Smith, a negro, was arrested in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday on a charge of having written a letter to the President of the United States, signed "Ed Smith," and in which he threatened to assassinate the President.

A jury in the Clayton Circuit Court yesterday awarded Louise Telford \$500 damages against the St. Louis Bakery Company. Mrs. Telford's husband, Frank W. Telford, was run over by a wagon of the defendant, March 25, 1904, and died several weeks later.

Dunn's, 912-13 Franklin Ave. Clothing of every description. Fall and winter overcoats, double-breasted suits, suits, coats, pants, hats, shoes, suit cases and umbrellas.

Accepts call to Topkap, Kas. Charleston, Ill., Nov. 10.—The Rev. L. W. Madden, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Madison, has accepted a call from the First Church at Topkap, Kas.

Wife Has Husband Arrested. Lawrence M. Egan, 35-year-old, is held at the Four Courts on a charge of wife abduction. The warrant was issued at Jerseyville, Ill.

ESTIMATE TOTAL CORN YIELD AT 2,707,993,540 BUSHELS

Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture Issues Its Report for November—Average of 28.8 Bushels an Acre as Compared With Final Figures of 26.8 Bushels an Acre in 1904—Ten-Year Average Is 24.9—General Average of Quality Is 90.6 Per Cent, Much Greater Than Last Year.

ESTIMATED CONDITION OF COTTON NOVEMBER 1 IS 68.8.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture today issued its report for November. The primary estimate of the production of corn in 1905 is 2,707,993,540 bushels, or an average yield of 28.8 bushels an acre, as compared with a final estimate of 2,680,000,000 bushels in 1904, and a ten-year average of 24.9 bushels an acre.

States	Nov. 10	Nov. 1	1904	10-Year
Illinois	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Iowa	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Nebraska	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Kansas	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Missouri	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Indiana	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Ohio	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Michigan	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Wisconsin	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Minnesota	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
North Dakota	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
South Dakota	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Montana	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Wyoming	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Idaho	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Utah	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Arizona	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
California	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Alaska	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2
Hawaii	24.2	24.2	24.2	24.2

The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of corn in 1905 is 28.8 bushels, as compared with a final estimate of 26.8 bushels in 1904, and a ten-year average of 24.9 bushels an acre.

The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of cotton in 1905 is 68.8 percent, as compared with a final estimate of 68.8 percent in 1904, and a ten-year average of 68.8 percent.

States	Nov. 10	Nov. 1	1904	10-Year
Alabama	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Georgia	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Florida	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Mississippi	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Arkansas	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Louisiana	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
South Carolina	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
North Carolina	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Virginia	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Tennessee	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Georgia	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8
Alabama	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8

WHOLESALE CONDITION REPORTS ON TRADE PRACTICALLY UNANIMOUS

Retail Trade in Wearing Apparel and Breadstuffs Feature of Good Market.

New York, Nov. 10.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade to-morrow will say: Each week brings a stronger business situation, and the market is practically unanimous.

New York, Nov. 10.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say: Excellent reports still come from nearly all lines of trade and industry, the only slack being in the cotton market.

Reports of wholesale conditions are now practically unanimous, and the market is practically unanimous. The demand for wearing apparel is strong, and the market is practically unanimous.

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LAWSON THE ISSUE AT DALLAS MEETING

Texas Insurance Policy Holders Meet to Formulate Plans for Their Protection.

ALL AGENTS ARE BARRED OUT.

Committees All Over State Appointed to Receive Proxies—Conference Called at San Antonio, Nov. 21.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 10.—Acting on the call of State Insurance Commissioner Clay, the policy holders of life insurance companies operating in Texas, or persons holding their proxies, met in Dallas today to consider plans for better protection. Commissioner Clay called the meeting to order and after a spirited contest the agents and representatives of insurance companies were barred from participating in the convention.

A stiff fight was made by the representatives of various companies and considerable feeling was manifested, but on a test of strength they were overruled. Bryan T. Barry, Mayor of Dallas, was made permanent chairman of the convention, and Glenn Walker of Fort Worth secretary.

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RAI-LE'S CREAM MAKING POWDER

A Cream of Tartar Powder Made From Grapes No Alum

HARDWARE MANUFACTURERS INDORSE ROOSEVELT'S PLAN

President's Programme for Rate Revision and Regulation Is Upheld at Session of Association.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Friends of President Roosevelt's freight rate legislation with their right today in the Association of Hardware Manufacturers, and secured the passage of a strong resolution endorsing the President's policy.

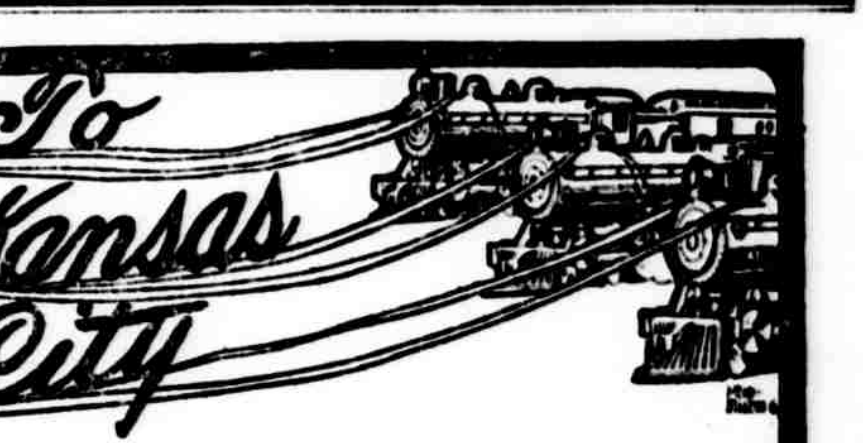
The resolution introduced by R. H. Pugh came up at this morning's session of the association, and was warmly debated. The preamble to the resolution declares that the interstate commerce law has been shown "by the test of long experience to be defective and especially so in failing to afford prompt and efficient remedy to shippers for existing transportation law."

It then says that the President, "the great leader of the people and advocate of the indorsement of civil rights, has announced the changes in the law which are deemed essential."

Two Illinois Farmers Missing. Gravelly, Ill., Nov. 10.—Two farmers have disappeared from Washburn County, Wis., since they left their homes last week.

Send Thirty-Five Cans of Potatoes. Stockton, Cal., Nov. 10.—The biggest ship out of California ever sent from California was started today over the Santa Fe route. It consisted of a solid train of thirty-five cars, each carrying 100 sacks of potatoes.

To Kansas City



The handsomest day train in the West. The rich, red glow of the exterior is only surpassed by the elegance and comfort of the interior. Revolving seat chairs; reading—writing—lounging—smoking apartments; superior dining car service and Pullman observation parlor cars, are a few of its many attractions.

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